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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
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In Re Application Of: Constantino et al.

Serial No.
09/449,707

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Examiner
Hong, Stephen S.

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Invention: **CONTRACT HANDLING METHOD AND SYSTEM**

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated 8/25/03 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-21

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